

FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

United States
Department of
Agriculture

Agricultural
Marketing
Service

DATE: September 13, 2001

PURCHASE AND OFFER TO BUY: WHOLE EGGS

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 1,168,000 pounds of whole eggs--to be produced from about 29,000 cases of shell eggs--at a cost of approximately \$520,000 for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds	Awarded Prices Inv. No. 7	No. of Bids Accepted
5-pound cartons	640,000	\$0.4698-\$0.5297	2 of 4
bulk tankers	528,000	\$0.3644-\$0.3794	1 of 4

Total purchases of whole eggs since the program was announced May 29, 2001, follow:

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
5-pound	3,842,000	\$1,935,000
30-pound containers	158,000	\$ 78,000
bulk tankers	4,224,000	\$1,601,000

Next offers under Announcement PY-246 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

Inv. Number	Product Type	Offer Date	Acceptance Not Later Than Date	Delivery Period
8	5-pound cartons and bulk tankers	Sept. 24	Sept. 28	Nov. 1-15

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

The awards for whole eggs made today under Announcement PY-246, Invitation 7, to be delivered from Oct. 16 to Oct. 31, 2001, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY246
COMM GROUP : EGGS, FROZEN
INVITATION : 007
COMMODITY TYPE : EGGS, WHOLE, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 6/5 LB CTN

CONTRACTOR NAME: AMERICAN EGG PRODUCTS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : BLACKSHEAR GA

ITEM NUM	----DESTINATION----	ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
004	BIRMINGHAM	AL	40,020	\$ 0.4698
005	CLEVELAND	GA	22,020	\$ 0.4749
	CHATTANOOGA	TN	18,000	\$ 0.4749
006	CHATTANOOGA	TN	25,470	\$ 0.4798
	LEBANON	TN	14,550	\$ 0.4798

TOTAL AWARDED: 120,060

CONTRACTOR NAME: SONSTEGARD FOODS COMPANY
PLANT ADDRESS : ESTHERVILLE IA

ITEM NUM	----DESTINATION----	ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
009	MCALESTER	OK	40,020	\$ 0.4971
010	COMMERCE	CA	40,020	\$ 0.5297
011	LOS ANGELES	CA	80,040	\$ 0.5247
012	POMONA	CA	40,020	\$ 0.5277
013	VERNON	CA	40,020	\$ 0.5297
014	BOISE	ID	40,020	\$ 0.5278
015	PUYALLUP	WA	20,010	\$ 0.5297
	SEATTLE WHSE	WA	20,010	\$ 0.5297

PLANT ADDRESS : GAINESVILLE GA

ITEM NUM	----DESTINATION----	ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
001	ALTOONA	PA	40,020	\$ 0.4974
002	SUNBURY	PA	40,020	\$ 0.4994
003	PHILADELPHIA	PA	20,010	\$ 0.5066
	WILKES-BARRE	PA	20,010	\$ 0.5066
007	COLUMBUS	OH	40,020	\$ 0.4864
008	DAYTON	OH	40,020	\$ 0.4844

TOTAL AWARDED: 520,260

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY246
COMM GROUP : EGGS, FROZEN
INVITATION : 007
COMMODITY TYPE : EGGS, WHOLE, LIQUID, BULK
PACK SIZE : BULK TANKERS

CONTRACTOR NAME: SONSTEGARD FOODS COMPANY
PLANT ADDRESS : ESTHERVILLE IA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY	ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
016	WAKEFIELD	NE	288,000	\$ 0.3794
017	MONTICELLO	MN	240,000	\$ 0.3644

TOTAL AWARDED: 528,000

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